

Amendments to the Specification (Substitute Specification):

Page 3, lines 11-20, please replace the two paragraphs in such lines with the following two paragraphs:

-- In accordance with this invention, the tile consists of two semi-cylindrical areas 1 and 2 which are convexed superimposed, and longitudinally adjacent with channeled concave areas 3 and 4 which are superimposed as well. The latter have a flat bottom support 5. The front edge 6 at the lower end of the tile has a protruding peripheral step 7. At its upper end, the tile has convex 8 and concave 9 channeled zones slightly lower in height with respect to the rest of the tile with a posterior peripheral ridge 10 that ends in a longitudinal edge 11. At the height that simulates the superimposition the tiles it has an undercutting or descending step 12.

B. In the middle of the width of this posterior undercutting 8, there is another step 13 similar in height and parallel to the peripheral one. The former has a channel 14 in the center of the concave area 9. Components 8 through 10 and 13 comprises support means to receive the lower edge of the next higher tile whereas components 11, 15, 18 and 18' are the support means for the adjoining tile along longitudinal edge 11. In its entirety, the support means has a general configuration of an inverse "L".--

Page 4, line 9, delete.

Lines 12-17, replace the two paragraphs in such lines with the following:

-- Figure 4 shows a bottom view with peripheral reliefs R of the flat areas 1' and 2', which corresponds to the bottom face of the convex areas that serve as support to the latter. As seen in Figure 4, the tile is defined by an upper edge at peripheral ridge 10, a lower first edge 6, and connecting means for such edges comprising longitudinal sides 23 and 24.

The areas which on the top face are concave and flat form a mesh with supports in the peripheral ribs A and trapezoid spaces 22 determined by the ribs which allow the support of the edges and the ribs that protrude as well as for the creation of air chambers which improve the ventilation and avoid dampness.--
